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The Office Of Partnerships And Grant Services Needs Your Help. Help us get 1000 likes on our Facebook page. If you like us you will get time sensitive information on funding opportunities, job announcements, upcoming events and more that might not be in the Funding alert. Like Us Now.

Grant Information Resource Center (GIRC). *The Grant Information Resource Center (GIRC)* registration form is now live on OPGS' website. The GIRC provides technical assistance and information about resources that improve community services in the District of Columbia for its "customers" - District government, nonprofit, and faith-based representatives. The primary focus is to assist customers who either lack computer access or the knowledge to best use their existing computer technology to strengthen their organizations. The GIRC is open Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, 10 a.m.-12 p.m. and 2 p.m.-4 p.m., by appointment only. For additional information call 202-727-8900. **Please click here to schedule an appointment.**

Funding Alert: If you would like to post a ***free event/resource announcement*** in the Funding Alert, contact Pat Henry at pat.henry@dc.gov. All back issues of the funding alert can be found at www.opgs.dc.gov .

District Grants Clearinghouse: District agency grant opportunities are listed in the Funding Alert. These opportunities can be found on the Office of Partnerships and Grant Services website at www.opgs.dc.gov . All information that should be posted to the Clearinghouse should be sent to dcgrants@dc.gov .

State Single Point of Contact (SPOC): The Office of Partnerships and Grant Services is the DC SPOC. The application is available online on OPGS's website at www.opgs.dc.gov select State Single Point of Contact.   If you need additional information call (202) 727-0946.

Contracting Opportunities with the District of Columbia Government: If you are interested in business/contracting opportunities with the District of Columbia Government visit the Office of Contracts and Procurement website at www.ocp.dc.gov and follow these instructions: click on "Solicitation"; click on "List All Opportunities" and finally click on "Electronic Solicitations".   For additional information contact Ajaya.Damireddy@dc.gov

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Government of the District of Columbia Opportunities

Electronic Grants Clearinghouse

The Office of Partnerships and Grant Services is the clearinghouse for the Government of the District of Columbia's grant programs. Notices and application packets are available for the following notices at: http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse .

District Agency	Funding Opportunity	Deadline
Office of the Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development	*Great Streets Small Business Capital Improvement Grants*	*There is no deadline for this application*
	H Street NE Small Business Capital Improvement Grants	*There is no deadline for this application*
Department of Employment Services	*Adult Training Program 2015*	*December 1, 2014*

Additional Government of the District of Columbia Opportunities

2015 AmeriCorps State Competitive Grant Competition. *Serve DC* Mayor's Office on Volunteerism is announcing funds to support the 2015 AmeriCorps State Competitive Grant Competition.

Eligibility:	Nonprofit organizations and DC government agencies
Deadline:	12/9/2014
Pre-Application Meeting Information:	Applicants are required to attend one of the following technical assistance (TA) sessions: November 3rd, from 2:00-3:00pm, Continuation applicants only (Conference Call); November 4th, or November 12th, from 5:30-6:30pm in the Frank D. Reeves Municipal Center, 2000 14th Street, NW, Suite 101, RSVP to Sarah Watkins at sarah.watkins@dc.gov
Funds:	Funds are available up to $13,730 and a match is required
Contact:	Sarah Watkins at sarah.watkins@dc.gov
Website:	http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse
Grant ID:	GD5709

2015 Needle Exchange Services (DOH). *Department of Health* announces funds to support the HIV/AIDS, Hepatitis, STD and Tuberculosis Administration Needle exchange program.

Eligibility:	Faith-based organizations, for-profit organizations other than small businesses and community-based organizations
Deadline:	12/1/2014

Funds:	$720,000 is available for awards
Contact:	Stacey Cooper at (202) 671-4900 or Stacey.Cooper@dc.gov
Website:	http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse
Grant ID:	GD5705

FY 2015 Mathematics Science Partnerships Grant Program (OSSE). *Office of the State Superintendent of Education* announces funds to support programs that will increase the academic achievement of students in mathematics and science by enhancing the content knowledge and teaching skills of classroom teachers.

Eligibility:	Independent school districts, public and state controlled institutions of higher education, nonprofit organizations, private institutions of higher education, for-profit organizations other than small businesses, small businesses, Local Educational Agencies and State Educational Agencies
Deadline:	1/12/2015
Pre-Application Meeting Information:	Pre-Application webinars will be held on Thursday, November 13th, 2014 from 2:00pm to 4:00pm and on Tuesday, November 18th, 2014 from 2:00pm to 4:00pm. You may RSVP by emailing Valida Walker at valida.walker@dc.gov.
Funds:	$707,599 is available for awards
Contact:	Valida Walker at valida.walker@dc.gov
Website:	http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse
Grant ID:	GD5706

Federal Opportunities

Service Area Competition (HHS). *Department of Health and Human Services* announces funds to support health centers to improve the health of underserved communities and vulnerable populations by ensuring access to comprehensive, culturally competent, quality primary health care services.

Eligibility:	City or township governments, county governments, independent school districts, special district governments, public and state controlled institutions of higher education, state governments, nonprofit organizations, public housing authorities, private institutions of higher education and DC government agencies
Deadline:	12/3/2014
Funds:	$100,975,803 is available for thirty-nine awards
Contact:	Beth Hartmayer at (301) 594-4300 or BPHCSAC@hrsa.gov
Website:	www.grants.gov
State Single Point of Contact:	This grant is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under EO 12372. Please go to http://opgs.dc.gov/spoc.asp for further information.
Grant ID:	GD5708

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Foundation Opportunities

DC Alternatives to the Court Experience Diversion Program. *D.C. Children And Youth Investment Trust Corporation* announces funds to support programs that addresses a diversion program that will provide youth, typically between the ages of 10 – 17 years in Washington, DC, with the skills, resources, supports, and opportunities necessary to not re-offend, not enter the court system, make better/positive decisions, and strengthen their connection to their families and communities. Notice of Intent is required and must be submitted by email no later than October 30 to scrane@cyitc.org .

Eligibility:	Nonprofit organizations
Deadline:	11/13/2014
Pre-Application Meeting Information:	The Trust will hold three Funding Technical Assistance Sessions (FTA). In order to be eligible for this funding opportunity, attendance at one of the FTA sessions is mandatory for all applicants. For dates and times visit the following website http://cyitc.org/wp-content/uploads/2014/10/FY15-DC-ACE-Diversion-Program-NOFA-10-14-2014.pdf
Funds:	Eight awards will be awarded
Contact:	Stephanie Crane at scrane@cyitc.org
Website:	http://cyitc.org/wp-content/uploads/2014/10/FY15-DC-ACE-Diversion-Program-NOFA-10-14-2014.pdf
Grant ID:	GD5707

Environmental Sustainability Projects and Programs. *First Solar Corporate Charitable Fund* announces funds to support programs focusing on: (a) "green" education initiatives, (b) access to clean energy and water in underserved areas, and/or (c) furthering the development of innovative and sustainable technologies.

Eligibility:	Nonprofit organizations
Deadline:	11/1/2014
Funds:	Awards are available up to $15,000
Contact:	Sarah Harrison at sarah@toledocf.org
Website:	http://www.toledocf.org/grants/overview/
Grant ID:	GD5704

Giving Children Hope. *Amway Foundation* announces funds to support programs that focus on children's education, address children's basic needs, build the potentials of children, and enable children to have fun.

Eligibility:	City or township governments, county governments, state governments, nonprofit organizations and DC government agencies
Deadline:	11/11/2014
Contact:	Giving Children Hope at contributions@amway.com.
Website:	http://www.amway.com/about-amway/grants
Grant ID:	GD5703

Safety and Education. *State Farm Companies Foundation* announces funds to support programs that are focused on improving safety and education in your local communities. Priorities for each of these two areas focus on: auto

and roadway safety; teen Driver Education; home safety and fire prevention; disaster preparedness; and disaster recovery.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, independent school districts, special district governments, public and state controlled institutions of higher education, state governments, nonprofit organizations, private institutions of higher education, DC government agencies, Local Educational Agencies and State Educational Agencies

Deadline: 10/30/2014

Funds: Awards are available up to $5,000

Contact: Melissa Paulik at melissa.paulik.ms6a@statefarm.com

Website: https://www.statefarm.com/about-us/community/education-programs/grants-scholarships/company-grants

Grant ID: GD5702

Additional Funding Resources and Announcements

Call For Community Grant Reviewers- 2015 AmeriCorps State Competitive Grant Competition. Serve DC – The Mayor's Office on Volunteerism is seeking individuals to review grant applications for the 2014 AmeriCorps State Competitive Grant Competition. This is an excellent opportunity to network with colleagues in the national service field, learn more about the grant-making process, develop your own grant-writing skills, and contribute your knowledge and experience to Serve DC's efforts to select high-quality Washington, DC-based programs for AmeriCorps funding. To apply, please forward your resume to: Sarah Watkins, Serve DC – The Mayor's Office on Volunteerism, 2000 14th Street, NW, Suite 101, Washington, DC 20009 or e-mail sarah.watkins@dc.gov . Resumes are due Monday, November 10.

Finding Funders. The Foundation Center- of Washington DC is sponsoring a workshop on Introduction to Finding Funders on October 28, 2014 1:15 pm - 2:15 pm. You will learn to find funders for your nonprofit with the Foundation Center's comprehensive funding research tool. This session provides an introduction to the Foundation Center's comprehensive online database, *Foundation Directory Online Professional*. Learn how to create customized searches to develop targeted lists of foundations that will match your organization's funding needs. The instructor will spend time exploring Power Search, which allows you to search across nine Foundation Center databases - grantmakers, grants, companies, 990s, news, jobs, RFPs, nonprofit literature, and PubHub reports. Register online at http://grantspace.org/classroom/training-calendar/Washington-DC/introduction-to-finding-funders-2014-10-28-washington-dc   or call 202-331-1400.

Previous Funding Resources and Announcements

Kauffman FastTrac New Venture for Veteran Program. In an effort to help veterans be successful in their new post-military careers, Capitol City Community Development Corporation (CapCityCDC) is offering the Kauffman FastTrac New Venture for Veteran program beginning November 5 .   This program is a 10-week entrepreneurship program . The CapCityCDC Veterans Initiative includes the FastTrac New Venture for Veteran course that includes business coaching and back office support. The CapCityCDC Veterans Initiative targets U.S. military veterans interested in starting or growing their own companies.   For more information visit their website at http://capitolcity.affiliate.fasttrac.org/ or email them at info@capitolcitycdc.org . Scholarships are available.

ScopeAthon on Martin Luther King Jr. Day 2015. The Taproot Foundation is partnering with the Project Management Institute to host a pro bono ScopeAthon on Martin Luther King Jr. Day 2015. At the Sheraton Premier in Tysons Corner, 200 nonprofits, schools, and social sector groups will be matched with over 600 pro bono project managers. The goal is to scope out high-quality capacity building projects and provide them

resources for their implementation. This is a fantastic, record-breaking, and free opportunity for nonprofits to develop solutions for critical infrastructural challenges.   If you are a nonprofit you can register at https://pm-dos.charityengine.net/default.aspx?tsid=1618 . For all questions contact dc@taprootfoundation.org or visit their website at www.taprootfoundation.org .

Youth Volunteers Honored - **The Prudential Spirit of Community Awards.** The Prudential Spirit of Community Awards is a nationwide program that honors young people in grades 5 to 12 who are volunteering in their communities. Youth who have engaged in a volunteer activity that occurred during the 12 months prior to the date of application are eligible to apply. Local Honorees are selected in November and from those winners two State Honorees are chosen in each state and the District of Columbia. State Honorees receive an award of $1,000 and an all-expenses-paid trip to Washington, DC, for national recognition events. Out of the State Honorees, ten National Honorees are selected to receive an additional award of $5,000 as well as a $5,000 grant for a nonprofit organization of their choice. The application deadline is November 4. Visit the Prudential website for online application information at http://spirit.prudential.com/view/page/soc

2015 Jump Rope For Heart and Hoops - For Heart Grant Program. SHAPE America is accepting applications for the 2015 Jump Rope For Heart and Hoops - For Heart Grant Program. The $2,500 grant supports professional development and provides funds to purchase school equipment. 2015 grantees will receive:$1,300 professional development stipend to attend the 2015 SHAPE America National Convention & Expo in Seattle, WA from March 17-21, 2015. The stipend may be used towards convention registration, travel, lodging and/or per diem; one-year SHAPE America membership (if you are not a current SHAPE America member) and (1) copy of the 2014 National Standards & Grade-Level Outcomes for K-12 Physical Education; $1,200 US Games gift certificate redeemable for equipment to enhance your school's physical education program. Applications are due December 1. For more information visit http://www.shapeamerica.org/jump/recognition/grantopportunities.cfm?utm_source=July+16%2C+2014&utm_campaign=July+16%2C+2014&utm_medium=email .